


# PROVIDER BULLETIN No. 15-15

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TO: All Providers Participating in Nebraska Medicaid Program

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RE: Provider Screening and Enrollment

**Please share this information with administrative, clinical, and billing staff.**

The purpose of this bulletin is to offer additional information regarding the upcoming implementation of new provider screening and enrollment requirements and processes.

The Division of Medicaid and Long-Term Care has contracted with Maximus Health Services, Inc. (Maximus) to aid the Division in becoming compliant with the requirements mandated in 42 CFR 455 Subpart E. As part of their work, Maximus will develop and maintain a web portal through which providers will complete and submit their application electronically. Benefits of the web portal include:

- Elimination of paper applications
- Improved turnaround time for enrollment submission and processing
- Fewer agreements returned to providers due to missing and/or incomplete information
- 24/7 access to provider enrollment information

Although implementation is not targeted until late summer, Maximus will soon begin conducting provider outreach and educational activities in a variety of formats, such as web-based training, newsletters, and professional forums/focus groups to ensure providers have access to the information and resources needed to successfully transition their provider enrollment activities.

To stay informed as additional project-related information becomes available, providers are strongly encouraged to visit and subscribe to the Provider Screening and Enrollment webpage found at <http://dhhs.ne.gov/medicaid/Pages/Provider-Screening-and-Enrollment.aspx>.

Please direct questions to [DHHS.MedicaidPSEProject@nebraska.gov](mailto:DHHS.MedicaidPSEProject@nebraska.gov). Questions received may be used to update the Frequently Asked Questions document.